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Sir,

Response To Office Action of 03/23/2004

The applicant replaces Response to Office action of March 23, 2004.

The applicant respectfully submits a classification of claims arranged by figures as required by the examiner and has endeavored to provide the classification of claims with appropriate status identifiers.

In response to the prior office action of 11/04/2003 the applicant elects Group [0K] without traverse with regard to groups [0J & 4J], [0J1&4J1], and with traverse with regard to Groups [1-4], [1D-4D], [1C-4C], [1B-4B], [1F-4F], [1G-4G], [0K1], [0K2], [0K3], [0K4].

The applicant has withdrawn claims 5-8, 17-35, 39,40 and has appended claims 41, 42 and 43 as generic to several groups including the elected group [0K] and has amended claims as attached.

The applicant respectfully submits that the following claims read on the groups as specified:

[1-4]:	1
[1D-4D]:	1
[1C-4C]:	1
[1B-4B]:	1
[1F-4F]:	1
[1G-4G]:	1
[0K]:	1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 11, 12, 14, 41, 42, 43
[OK1]:	1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 41, 42, 43
[OK2]:	1, 2, 3, 9, 11, 12, 14, 41, 42, 43
[OK3]:	1, 16, 41, 42, 43
[OK4]:	1, 2, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 41, 42, 43

The applicant submits in support of traverse generic claims 1 for all groups, generic claims 1,41, 42 and 43 for all the [0kx] groups noted above, and several levels of generic claims for some of the [0kx] series of embodiments.

Very respectfully,

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